Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-628/98].

Reports and Accounts (1996-97) of the various agricultural corporations, river boards and other related institutes and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SOM PAL): Sir, I lay on the Table:—

A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) (a) Thirty-second Annual Report and Accounts of the Modern Food Industries (India) Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Company. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-639/98].

(ii) (a) Fifteenth Annual Report and Accounts of the North Eastern Regional Agricultural Marketing Corporation Limited (NERAMAC), Guwahati, for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-640/98].

(iii) (a) Twenty-third Annual Report and Accounts of the Maharashtra Land Development Corporation Limited, Pune, for the year 1995-96, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments fo the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report. [Placed in Library, *See* No. LT-636/98].

(iv) (a) Twenty-third Annual Report and Accounts of the Karnataka Meat and Poultry Marketing Corporation Limited, Bangalore, for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-637/98].

(v) (a) Twenty-eighth Annual Report and Accounts of the Water and Power Consultancy Services (India) Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report. [Placed in Library *See* No. LT-635/98].

(vi) (a) Fortieth Annual Report and Accounts of the National

Projects Construction Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the Working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-634/98].

(vii) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Seeds Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the Working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-633/98].

(viii) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Lakshadweep Development Corporation Limited, Agatti, for the year 1995-96, together with the Auditors' Report on the Account and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation.

Statements (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay on laying the papers mentioned at (1) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-638/98].

(ix) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(a) Annual Report of the Coconut Development Board, Kochi, for the year 1996-97.

(b) Annual Accounts of the Coconut Development Board, Kochi, for the year 1996-97, and the Audit Report thereon.

(c) Review by Government on the working of the above Board.

(d) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) and (b) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-644/98].

(x) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Betwa River Board, Jhansi, for the year 1996-97, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts, under sub-section (1) of section 15 of the Betwa River Board Act, 1976.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-648/98].

(xi) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Brahamaputra Board, Guwahati, for the year 1996-97, together with the Audit report on the Accounts, under section 21 of the Brahamputra Board Act, 1980.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-645/98].

(xii) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Institute of Hydrology, Roorkee, for the year 1996-97, together with the

Auditors' Report on the accounts.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-363/98].

(xiii) (a) Annual Report and Acounts of the National Water Development Agency, New Delhi, for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-642/98].

(xiv) (a) Annual Report of the National Co-operative Agriculture and Rural Development Banks' Federation Limited, Mumbai, for the year 1996-97.

(b) Annual Accounts of the National Co-operative Agriculture and Rural Developemnt Banks' Federation Limited Mumbai, for the year 1996-97 and the Audit Report thereon.

(c) Review by Government on the working of the above Federation.

(d) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) and (b) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-796/98].

(xv) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Paddy Processing Research Centre, Thanjavur (Tamil Nadu), for the year 1996-97, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Centre.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-643/98].

Reports (1996-97) of Comptroller and Auditor General of India and Notifications of Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Personnel Public Grievances and Pensions (Deptt. of Personnel and Training and Life Insurance Corporation).

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (SHRI R. JANARTHANAM): Sir, I lay on the Table:—

I. A Copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Report, under clause (1) of article 151 of the Constitution:—

(i) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended 31st March, 1997 (No. 3 of 1998)—Union Government (Civil) Performance Appraisals. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-688/98].

(ii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended 31st March, 1997 (No. 4 *of* 1998)—Union Government (Civil) Other Autonomous Bodies. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-689/98].

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs) relating to the establishment of Tribunals, under section 3 and 8 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993:—

(i) GSR 416(E), dated April 27, 1994 regarding establishment of Debts Recovery Tribunal at Calcutta.